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Dear Commissioner:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), Applicants kindly request a three month extension of time. Commissioner is authorized to debit Deposit Account 23-0035 for \$1020.00 to cover said extension.